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Introduction

Welcome to the latest issue of our Connect newsletter and my first as the new President of TNS' Communications Market business.

It's been fantastic getting to know so many of our customers over the past few months and I would like to say thank you for the warm welcome I have received. For those of you I've not yet connected with, I look forward to doing so soon.

I'm not a stranger to TNS, having worked for the company for the past two decades. In 2007, I was appointed as Chief Financial Officer and when I'm not on the road you will find me at our global headquarters in Reston.

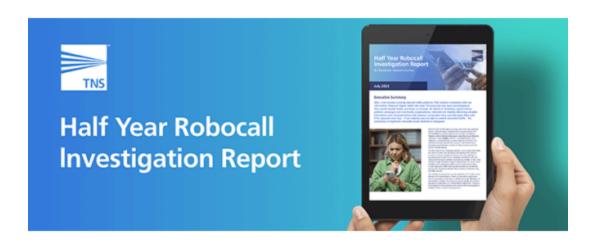
Now that's enough about me, let's jump into the newsletter. This edition begins with the findings from our Q2 Robocall Investigation Report. We hope you find the data within the report insightful as you refine your strategy for the rest of 2023.

You can also expect to read exciting news and updates from the team, including more on an Al workshop hosted by the FCC and National Science Foundation which our Chief Data Officer, Greg Bohl attended.

If you have any questions on the topics covered in this newsletter, please email **solutions@tnsi.com** or contact your Account Manager.

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Half Year Robocall Investigation Report

We understand the importance of our *Robocall Investigation Report* in helping to shape industry decision making. That's why following our milestone 10th Edition earlier this year, we decided to roll-out more regular summary reports. Our Half Year Robocall Report is out now and features key updates on robocall volume, scams and more. If you would like a copy of the report, contact your Account Manager or click here.

Read the Press Release



TNS Participates in FCC Al Workshop

Our Chief Data Officer, Greg Bohl, participated in a Federal Communications Commission (FCC) workshop last month on The Opportunities and Challenges of Artificial Intelligence for Communications Networks and Consumers. Greg and other industry stakeholders took part in discussions on how AI can benefit the telecom industry, specifically how it can be used to fight illegal robocalls. The workshop was live streamed and is available to watch here.



Juniper Research Roaming Reports

We recently contributed towards Juniper Research Wholesale Roaming and IoT Roaming reports, sharing updates on TNS' roaming solutions, the industry and market trends. Stay tuned for the reports which we expect to be published later this month here.



Welcoming Mike Swade to TNS

Join us in welcoming our new Vice
President of Global Sales, Mike Swade,
to TNS. Based in Chicago, Mike has led
global sales organizations across
multiple technologies and services for
more than 25 years and will play a key
role in growing our business as we
integrate the innovative TNS
Communications Application Server
(CAS) platform into our portfolio.



New Branded Calling Subscriber Insights

To understand the need for branded calling solutions, it's important to acknowledge how trust in voice calling has been eroded due to the onslaught of robocalls. Last month, we released a series of eBooks on Exploring the Demand for Branded Caller ID Among Healthcare, Financial Services, Retail and Hospitality Customers. Each eBook contains valuable insights into independent research from reputable firm KANTAR commissioned by TNS.



Whitepaper Urges Hospitality Companies to Deploy Call Authentication

TNS and Juniper Research released a whitepaper report, *How the Hospitality Industry Must Tackle Call Spoofing & Robocalling*, calling on the hospitality industry to address the damage done by unwanted robocalls by introducing branded calling for its customers. To broaden the discussion, both firms hosted a webinar to further examine the potential of branded calling solutions for the healthcare industry. There's still time to watch on-demand here.



TNS Communications Market LinkedIn Showcase

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Timeshare Scams Take Off for Summer

In recent months, TNS has reported an increase in complaints of scams involving timeshares. Protect your subscribers and check out our Scam of the Month page.









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